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A pilgrim's voyage to the Shrine of Santa Lucia

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To be announced

Rapier of Chivalry:
To be announced

Shield of Chivalry:
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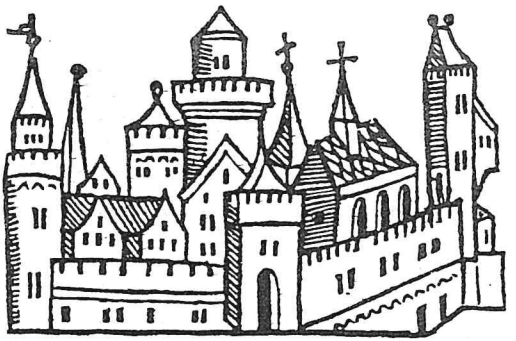

Let all of the realm of the Outlands and across the SCA, whatever their degree, know that Talia of Hawksholm, mundanely know as Lynn Raabe, is banished from Our and any other realm. This is a Level 3 banishment in accordance with the Laws of the Society for Creative Anachronism. This action is pending review by the Board of Directors and has been requested for a lifetime banishment from the society and a denial of membership. If this person is seen at SCA functions and/or activities, she should be asked to leave and not return.

From the Crown

Unto the Kingdom of the Outlands do Hoegaarden and Chira send greetings;

The time for merriment and celebration is upon us. This time of kindness and camaraderie surround us like the gentle falling snow during the winter season. The huntsmen have returned with their bounty, fresh for our winter feasts. Join your friends, your fellow Outlanders, and share a tale by the fire. Stories of the great Kingdom of the Outlands have been heard in many halls throughout the known world. This is the moment to share those great times; to tell of deeds of valor, to listen to stories of the kings of old, to be so much a part of the traditions of our grand kingdom that you get a taste of all that is good in the world. Savor our traditions and tales, for we are the Outlands, where the stag runs free and strong. Where dreams are formed, and the people are proud to claim themselves part of something so wonderful that we never want to leave. Our love for this great kingdom shines more brilliantly than any treasure. The Outlands, you are home. We hope that you will join Us in this holiday season and share this dream in every hall throughout this great kingdom.

We would like to thank all of those who worked so hard to make Coronation a wonderful event. Congratulations to our newest Barony of Fontaine dans Sable for putting together a magnificent time for all who were able to attend. Huzzah to all of those who have put together a sequence of Toys for Tots events, and for those who have given toys to children in need. Somewhere there is a bright and shiny smile on the face of a child who had no hope until you took the time to brighten their life this holiday season.

We would ask our wise populace to send letters of recommendation for those deserving of recognition. There are so many wonderful people in our lands and we would love to know of each and every one of them. We would also invite you to meet Ourselves and our retinue so we might serve the mighty kingdom gloriously together. Until we meet in our travels...

In service to the mighty Kingdom of the Outlands,

Hoegaarden
King

Chiara
Queen

Caerthen Toys for Tots Tournament VIII and Baronial Polling

The Barony of Caerthe, Sunday, November 30th

Site open 10-5
-Hours of the Baronial Polling will be concurrent with the Toys event-
Jefferson County Fairgrounds- 15200 W. 6th Avenue Golden, CO 80401 Site is dry
Autocrat: THL Roland O'Rourke (Rob Hatcher) 303-341-5765
Co-Autocrat: THL Gwenhevare of Coventry (Geneva Zeigler) 720-271-5498
Saturday Toys for Tots Archery Tourney Coordinator: Lady Drahomira (Deana Conrad) 303-426-1914
Heavy Combat Coordinator: Lord Cadvark 720-296-2575
Fencing Combat Coordinator: THLady Natalia

Unto all who dwell within this mighty Kingdom of the Outlands know ye that on Sunday, November 30th that the Barony of Caerthe does invite one and all to attend a day of great import and purpose as two of the most noble of Caerthen traditions are undertaken.

The Great Toy for Tots Competition: Once again the Barony of Caerthe, it's Canton of Hawk's Hollow and College of Scola Metallorum, shall host a great tournament and celebration to raise toys for the innocents of Mundania who suffer of great want in the season of giving. Those who wish to contribute towards this most honorable endeavor are requested to attend this day of combat and competition.

Caerthen Baronial Polling: Their Majesties shall be present at this event to hear the opinion's of the Caerthen populace in regards to the selection of a new Baron and/or Baroness. Those who wish to have their voice heard on this matter, are bid to attend.

Site fee: A new, unwrapped toy, of at least $5 in value. Please remember that because we are attempting to raise as many toys as possible, that this amount is only a minimum. Those who feel inclined to provide more, will be heartily thanked and appreciated!

Site amenities: The site of this most festive and charitable occasion shall be the large indoor arena that sits above and behind the main dinning hall of the Jefferson County Fairgrounds. Not only is this indoor arena roughly three times the size of our usual "Toys" site, the large, dirt tourney floor and surrounding areas offer greater capacity for martial arts and seating than any Caerthen Toys for Tots event, prior. However, because a large turnout is expected for this year's event, all are advised to bring a chair, just in case. There are a number of flush toilets, a drinking fountain and a soda machine. The site is heated, but blankets are suggested for sitting upon and a cloak would also be a good idea. Pets and smoking are not allowed inside the building. Though well ventilated, the site can become dusty. Bring your banners for display around the tourney area! The site is absolutely dry.

Lunch: As usual, there will be a grand potluck donation lunch. All proceeds will go to purchase more toys before the end of the day.

-10:30-Noon Childs Boffer Champion "Defender of the Tots"

-Noon-3 Heavy and Light weapons tournaments "Champion and Protector of the Tots"

-11-3 A&S Competition "Artisan of the Tots"

Toy themed entries only. Documentation appreciated but not required.

Court will be at Their Majesties discretion.

Hunters Feast

Shire of Windkeep, December 6, AS XXXV (2003)

Site opens 12 noon -- close at 11:00 p.m. 1200 East College Drive - Cheyenne WY
Fees: Adult, $10.00; ages 6 - 12, $5.00; under 6, free; Family cap, $30.00
Make checks payable to SCA-Windkeep
Event Steward: Master Rhys Afalwin (Larry Hammons), 10700 Ranch Rd, Cheyenne, WY. 82009, (307) 632-1133, MasterRhys@aol.com
Cook: Mistress Aldyth Trefaldwyn, (Debbie Hammons), 10700 Ranch Rd, Cheyenne, WY. 82009, (307) 632-1133, Aldyth@aol.com

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The harvest has ended, the hunters are home, and Yuletide is fast approaching. The Shire of Windkeep asks all who will to pause with them to reflect upon the world and join them in a Hunter's Feast to be held December 6, 2003 at Laramie County Community College in Cheyenne, Wyoming. The event is limited to the first 150 paid reservations, and alcohol is not permitted anywhere on campus.

If we are blessed with clear weather during the day, there will be heavy and light weapons pick-up fighting and other outdoor games as devised by those attending. Indoors there will be good fellowship, dancing, and whatever games as can be devised. A bardic competition will be held during the feast, as in past years, with a gift of silver to the best entertainer. Throughout the day there will be an informal competition for best hunters theme (garb/table setting/banner) to be arbitrarily judged by the kitchen staff.

For availability of reservations after Nov. 15, contact the cook. Mail your reservations to the Event Steward, with checks made to SCA-Windkeep. Please include legal name, society name, and address; phone number membership number, and local group on your check. Include a list with all of the above information if you are paying for others. If you would like to help clean up or serve, please contact the cook. Merchanting is allowed in the hall before the feast, but must be coordinated in advance.

Directions to the site: Take I-25 to the College turn off. Proceed east approximately 5 miles to the Laramie County Community College. Parking and entrance to the site is on the north side of the campus. (there will be signs)

Caer Galen Midwinter

Barony of Caer Galen, December 13, A.S.XXXVIII

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 1303 S. Bross Lane, Longmont, CO 80501
Site opens: 10:00 a.m. and closes at 11:00 p.m.
Autocrat: Karen Peterson - 970-535-0450-- petersonke@c-b.com
This site is discretely wet. No hard alcohol allowed.
Merchants, please contact the Autocrat for information on this event.

Come share warm times to cast away the chill of winter in our fair Barony for this year's Midwinter Event. Our event coincides with St. Lucy's feast day, so we are going to enjoy a historical repast that celebrates the journey of this Saint's legend from the Italy to Sweden. Site fee will be $8.00 for Adults/$4.00 for children ages 5-12. The feast will feature three removes: Sicilian, Spanish and Swedish. Cost is $10.00 per person. Seating on-board is limited to eighty people.

Arts & Sciences competitions include: calligraphy/illumination; miniature (3 1/2 inches or smaller); mystery item; and best use of red and gold. There will be children's activities throughout the day including candle and holiday ornament decorating.

Directions to Site: From Interstate 25 in Colorado, go to State Highway 119 (Longmont exit) and turn west. Follow SH-119 approximately six miles to Main Street in Longmont. At Main Street, turn left (south). Follow Main Street to Missouri Avenue and turn right (west). Follow Missouri Avenue to South Bross Lane, about four blocks. St. Stephen's is on the left, across the street from Kamamoto Park

al-Barran Midwinter

The Barony of al-Barran, December 13-14, A.S. XXXVIII

Feast Site Opens 11:30 am Dec 13; Closes 11:45 pm Dec 13
No fees for the Sunday War Practice
Make checks payable to 'SCA - al-Barran
Barony of al-Barran, PO Box 27676, Albuquerque, NM 87125

Once again, the Barony of al-Barran is proud to host its traditional Midwinter feast at the historic Leon Harm's Youth Hall. This year's theme is based upon the opulent meeting near Calais between King François I of France and King Henry VIII of England. In 1520, these two kings met at the Field of Cloth of Gold and sought to outshine each other with their wealth and magnificence. There, the scene was filled with rich clothing, richer food and the presence of anyone who was or wanted to be anyone.

Entertainers of the finest caliber are invited to contact Monica, our Entertainment coordinator to propose their performances. Monica can be reached at (505) 243-1569, interested gentles are encouraged to contact her prior to October 20, 2003. There will be rewards for those gentles who reflect the opulence of the time in their dress as well as the group with the most elegant table. Other contests and games will occur throughout the weekend including a trivia contest on the Field of Gold.

The feast will be prepared by Lord Vladimir and the current menu is listed herein, however the cook reserves the right to substitute as necessary and will have a list of ingredients the day of the feast.

MENU

1st Remove.
Hedgehogs of Pate
Crepes Duxelle Towers
(Crepes with a paste of mushrooms)
Bread & Fruit

2nd Remove
Pearl Soup (White Bean Soup in Ham Broth)
Scorpion Rolls

3rd Remove.
"Roast Pigs" with stuffing
Forest Verdant (Broccoli & Asparagus)

4th Remove
Nymphs in Grass (herb salad & frog legs)
Golden Crowns (eggs in hollandaise)
Snow Balls (flavored rice)

5th Remove.
Steak and Kidney Pies
Cabbage stuffed with Rice

Desserts will be presented byLady Gytha and Mistress Monica, and will include a variety of sweets sure to please any diner. Gentles wishing to assist in either effort are encouraged to contact the coordinators.

Those with questions or wishing to volunteer, please contact Safwah (sabia) at 896-3333 or ldysabia@aol.com. Reservations will be accepted starting October 25, 2003 by Lady Skameika Draikova (Skia)/Heather Whitesides at eclecticaarts@yahoo.com or (505) 344-0094. REMEMBER, the only guaranteed reservation is a paid reservation. No outside Alcohol permitted per New Mexico State Fair Ground rules. Crash space is being coordinated by Triaria d'Orleans (Terry Hansen) 891-3821 or wannagame@aol.com

	Non Member Surcharge	Type
$15.00	+ $3.00	Adult (age 12+) Feast & Site
$7.00	Free **	Youth (age 3-11) Feast & Site
$8.00	+ $3.00	Adult Site Only *
$4.00	Free **	Youth Site Only *
Free	Free	Child (age 2 and under) Please make a reservation to hold a seat

* Site without feast includes dessert
**The non-member surcharge does not apply to those children being discounted.

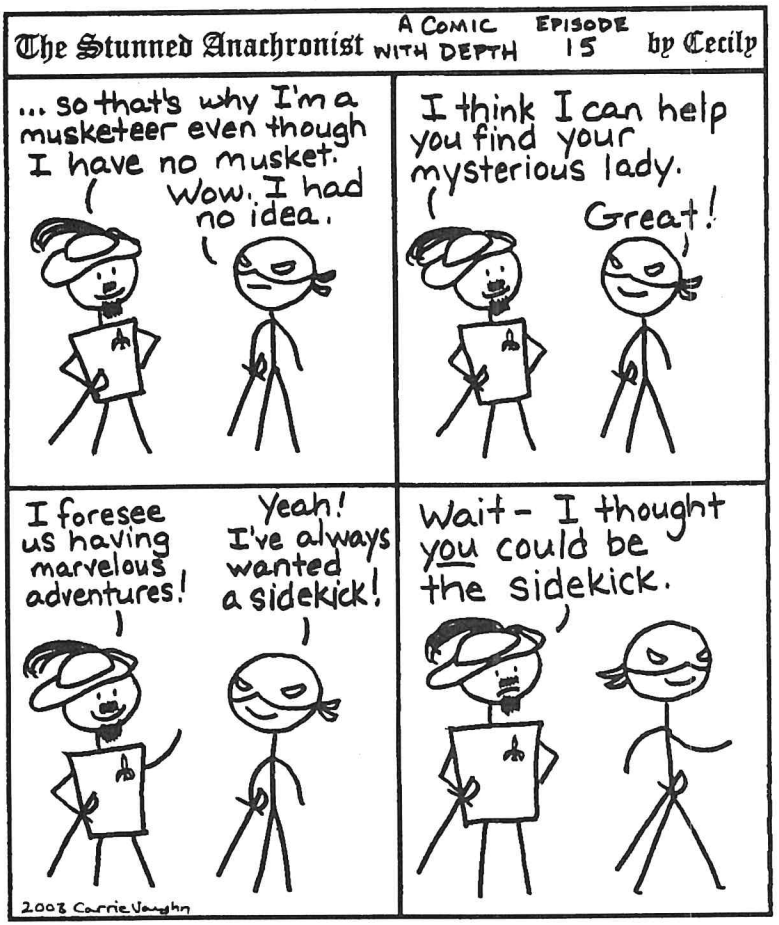
Directions: From I-40 take the San Mateo Exit and travel South. After several city blocks there will be a light at Lomas, turn left (East) onto Lomas going East. The next light is San Pedro, turn Right (South) on San Pedro. Look for Gate 4, just south of the light at Central. Enter Gate 4. Tell the people at the parking gate that you are with the SCA and follow the signs to the Youth Hall.

Sunday War Practice will be at Bataan Park on the north side of Lomas just west of the Lomas & Carlisle intersection. All warriors are called to arms! All those who support the armies with water bearing and marshaling are also called to attend.

6 PM to 11PM
Site fee is $3.00 per person children under 12 free (3.00 surcharge for non-members), An ornament for the exchange, A dish to serve 6 to 8 to share
Contact: Mistress Gabrielle Cartier (Cheryl Ann Baker) at cabaker@milehigh.net or Mistress Mirianna Wrenne (Valerie Oswald) valerieo@milehigh.net or phone either at 303-394-4003 for any questions.

You are invited to celebrate the season with the Barony of Caerthe. The revel is potluck and will be held at the Berkeley Community Church at 3701 W 50th Ave., Denver, CO 80221. The potluck will begin at 7 PM. Afterwards, there will be an ornament exchange but this year there will be separate exchange for the children 12 and under. The Exchange "rules" are to bring an ornament valued under $10 if you wish to participate. For the Children's Exchange please bring an ornament with a children's theme for each child that will be participating.

Directions: I-70 to Federal, Federal north to 50th, West on 50th to Meade. The Church sets on the northwest corner.


The Stunned Anachronist
A Comic With Depth
Episode 15
by Cecily
... so that's why I'm a musketeer even though I have no musket.
Wow. I had no idea.
I think I can help you find your mysterious lady.
Great!
I foresee us having marvelous adventures!
Yeah! I've always wanted a sidekick!
Wait - I thought you could be the sidekick.
2003 Carrie Vaughn

Twelfth Night in Renaissance Venice

The Barony of Caerthe, January 3 A.S. XXXVIII (2004)

Autocrat: Mistress Arwen Southernwood (Sheila McClune), 1275 S. Birch St., #502, Denver, CO 80246. (303)756-7040. arwen@caerthe.org.
Feast Coordinator: Despotissa Eirene Tzimiskina Kontostephanina (Melanie Unruh-Bays), 16620 E. Kentucky Ave., Aurora, CO 80017. (720)744-9614. maredudd@caerthe.org.
Registrar: The Honorable Lord Johann of the Northern Moors (Brian Morman), 8806 W. Elmhurst Ave., Littleton, CO 80128. (720)981-0478 bmorman@earthnet.net. Checks payable to SCA-Caerthe
Merchant Coordinator: Captain Fionn McDougal. captmac382@hotmail.com.
Entertainment Coordinator: Lord Fergus MacLennan. shafers@earthlink.net.

Though mountain snows cap the peaks to the north, hearts are warm and spirits high in Venice, as Yuletide festivities light the winter nights. Music, comedy, dancing, feasting and fun await those who would join Sir Vlad and Lady Adelaide, Vicar and Vicaress of Caerthe, in Caerthe's annual celebration of the season.

Among the activities planned are: An area for musical and other performances will be set aside all day. Please contact Lord Fergus (see below) if you are interested in performing. There will be informal card and board games, dancing, merchants, and contests for those most beautifully clad in the Italian style (with a special prize for the person/group who most closely resembles an Italian Renaissance painting), plus special activities for children. And, of course, this event will mark the installation of the next Baron and/or Baroness of Caerthe!

The feast will be prepared and presented by members of The Stewpot, under the direction of Despotissa Eirene Tzimiskina Kontostephanina. Three courses will be served throughout the course of the day. The first course, which will be served around noon, will be included in the site fee for the event. The second course will be served around midafternoon, with the last course being served in the early evening.

Fee Schedule:

Adult (age 14+)	$ 12.00
Children age 0-4	Free
Children age 5-13	$ 6.00
Adult (age 14+)	$ 12.00 (if available)
Children age 0-4	Free (if available)
Children age 5-13	$ 6.00 (if available)
Site	$ 33.00
Feast	$ 33.00

The event will be held at the Adams County Fairgrounds, 9755 Henderson Rd. Brighton, CO 80601. The site will open at 8:00 am and close at 9:00 pm. Directions: From the north and south, take I-25 to north Denver (Northglenn) and exit east on 104th Ave. Continue on 104th to Riverdale Road, about 3.5 miles. Go north on Riverdale Road to East 126th Ave/Henderson Road (a little under 4 miles). At East 126th/Henderson Road, go east 1/2 mile to the fairgrounds entrance, which will be on your left (the north side of the road). Look for the large, domed building!

Winter Oasis

Barony of Unser Hafen, January 24th, A.S. XXXVIII (2004)

Ammons Hall, CSU campus, Fort Collins, CO 2pm-11pm
Site fee: $7 - members $10 - non-members (not sure about kids - will follow up shortly) Site is dry
Autocrat: Sarah bint Khalilah (Sarah Burgess), 970-690-6349 1301 Glen Haven Dr, Fort Collins, CO 80526 email: sarahcranberry@hotmail.com
Make checks payable to SCA Unser Hafen **Site is Dry**. Sorry- no merchants this year

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Elements of Winter Oasis include but are not limited to: swooshy veils, gleaming swords, clanging gongs, strumming sitars, elephant herd migrations (courtesy of didgerydon'ts), laughing audiences, silly storytellers, snacking on hummus, drinking coffee in copious quantities, old friends meeting, new friends emerging, seven swans a swimming, RUGS EVERYONE A-BRINGING. pillows on a-lounging, five gold lame belts, four Privateers "AARRRR!", three mermaids, two puppets dancing and Remember the theme is "Under the Sea."

Coffeeocrat: Don Justinian the Fabulous Justin Bruen jbruen@frii.com

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Snackocrat: Celestria Abi Iubhar 970-472-5981 balackoakowl@yahoo.com
Cost: $7.00 adult SCA members $3.00 children $3.00 fee for non members
Directions from I-25: West on Mulberry Exit (exit #269) towards Fort Collins. South on College Ave. (left). West on Laurel (Right) Left on Howes onto CSU campus. Right on Oval Drive. Ammons Hall is the second building on the right. Take the first Right and follow to parking lot. Some spots are by permit only.

Classes to be offered beginning at 3pm.

Citadel 12th Night - Baronial Investiture

Barony of the Citadel of the Southern Pass, Jan. 17-18, A.S. XXXVIII (2004)

Saturday site opens: 9:00am and closes at 10:00pm
Loretto Academy - 1200 Hardaway - El Paso, TX 79903
Sunday site opens at 9:00am and closes at 5:00pm
Memorial Park - Copper St - El Paso, TX 79902
Fees: Site only $10.00 (adult) / 5.00 Children age 6-12 With Feast $15.00 (adult) / $8.00 Children age 6-12 Children under age 6 are free. 40.00 Family limit Remember - there is a $3.00 surcharge for non-members (have your blue cards at the gate) All checks should be made payable to: SCA-Citadel of the Southern Pass.
Autocrat: Lady Constance (Hazel Tipton) 915-821-9585 or e-mail hltipton@elp.rr.com Feast/Reservations: Mistress Bahiyyah (Becky Boetto) 915-585-3155 or e-mail bboetto@elp.rr.com

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As the long months of winter progress and War draws nigh, all are invited to sharpen their blades, fill their bellies, be entertained by Clan Tinker and celebrate in a winter feast.

Their Excellencies, Conrade and Leah, Baron and Baroness of the Citadel of the Southern Pass invite all to join them in witnessing the Investiture of their successors as the Barony's new Coronet.

Following this solemn event, the Outlands army will repair to the field and demonstrate their great skills during War practice and melees. All who come to watch will be awed, and a bit frightened, while being fed a wondrous lunch prepared by Mistress Joella.

That evening following the Court of their Excellencies; Naquiba Bahiyyah will serve such dishes that the heavens will weep for joy; and we shall all be overcome by the feelings of comradeship and merriment as we enjoy the company of our good friends and are dazzled by the feats of the world renown Clan Tinker.

So come! feast and be merry as the Citadel rejoices at the investiture of a new Baron and Baroness. In honor of this celebration, the Barony will host tourneys on Sunday with prizes that will awe and amaze.

Southern War Practce

The College of St. Golias, January 31 A.S. XXXVIII

New Mexico Tech Athletic Field, 801 Leroy Pl. Socorro, NM 87801
Site opens at 9:00 AM and closes at 5:00 PM - Site is dry, no pets allowed. Site fee $3.00
Autocrat: Lilidh Dwn Myfyr (Melody Buser) 505-838-4722 forgotten101@yahoo.com

The time is soon at hand to prepare our defenses at Southern War Practice. Come one come all! Prepare to defent our Kingdom at WAR!

From the North: Take I-25 to Exit 150. Turn right at the third traffic light (College St). Turn left at the second stop sign (Leroy St). Go to the second stop sign (again) and trn right (Neel St). Take the next immediate right into the Student Activities Center (SAC) parking lot, which is next to the Athletic Field.

From the South: Take I-25 north to either A) Exit 150 and follow the above instructions or B) take exit 147 and head north to make a left turn at the fourth light (College St), and then follow above instructions.

Candlemas

The Barony of Dragonsspine, Saturday, January 31, A.S. XXXVIII (2004)

Site opens at 10:00 AM and closes at 10:00 PM.
El Paso County Fairgrounds 366 10th Street, Calhan, Colorado 80808.
Fees: Site only $5.00, with Feast $15.00. $45.00 family cap. $3.00 surcharge for non-members, show your blue cards at troll. All checks should be made payable to: SCA-Barony of Dragonsspine.
Autocrat: Caleb Stewart (Kaleb Trumbly) 719-574-3036

Come celebrate Candlemas and the lengthening of days with the Barony of Dragonsspine.

The 14th century French Court is hosting a Tournament of Roses for the heavy fighters and space is set aside for the Archers to hold a tournament.

Inside, there will be a period games tournament, a performance Arts and Sciences competition and demonstrations. Dance practice space is available for the dance after the feast. Children's activities are planned throughout the day. A delicious period feast of two courses will be held after court. There is limited seating so pre-register to assure your spot. Limited space is also available for off-board seating. There will be performances during the feast.

Performance categories for the competition are: (1) Music, (2) Storytelling, (3) Other Performance, (4) An original piece celebrating the Barony of Dragonsspine, and (5) An original piece celebrating the Kingdom of the Outlands.

From The Outgoing Archer General

Greetings archers!

This marks my last letter as Archer General. I would like to thank everyonewho has worked to make my time in office so wonderful. Special thanks to my DAGs, Duncan MacRae, Tracker, Steitan, Ben, Artorius, Lyssa and Evain. Without these fine gentles, this job would have been much harder. I would like to encourage everyone to contact Evain and offer your assistance. Kingdom offices are far easier when we all work together. Lyssa has promised to continue the articles for the OH though the job of transition has prevented her from writing one for this issue. We'll keep the old email address in place and forward all communication to Evain for the next few months.

Please remember that Domesday reports are due to Evain from all Captains of Archery and Deputies Archer General by December 1 so the AG's office can make their Domesday deadline. Be sure to give a copy to your local seneschal and knight marshal as well to make their jobs easier. If your group shoots for score, be sure those reports continue to go to Lyssa at lyssa@pcisys.net.

As of November 1, the Target Archery Handbook went into effect along with a few new rules and a new handbook for Target Archery Officers. You'll find copies on the AG website and your local COAs should have received copies on CD rom. A few items to note: the away score has been returned to it's original format and all away scores must be shot at events listed on the kingdom calendar. Scores shot at practices and events not listed on the kingdom calendar will be counted as local scores. There is a new kingdom rank, Royal Bowmaster, for Royal Round averages of 120 and above. This raises the bar just a bit for everyone. Also, non-members may no longer have scores reported. Non-members are welcome to shoot as long as all appropriate waivers are signed and submitted, but they may not attain rank or have their scores reported. Be sure to read the new handbooks for more information.

It has been a pleasure serving as your Archer General. I wish Evain as much success and joy as I have experienced. I know she will make a fine leader for our community. See you all at Estrella!

Larke
Retiring Archer General

From the Incoming Archer General

Greetings to all Good Gentles of the Outlands!

I have agreed to accept the position of Archer General for the Outlands. My thanks to THL Daniel Larke del Glen and THL Leofsige O Caoimh (otherwise known as Lyssa) for their excellent contributions during their time as Archer General and Skrifari, respectively.

I have enlisted the aid of Lord Artorius Greyhawk as my Skrifari with Leofsige (Lyssa) agreeing to remain as Deputy Scorekeeper. I thank them in advance for their willingness to serve and dedication to the tasks at hand.

Many of the current Deputy Archer Generals' have agreed to stay. I send many and profuse thank you's to Sir Rand the Tracker of Oak Hollow--Northern Deputy, THL Steitan der Bogenshutz--Southern Deputy, and Baron Ben, Caomh Beathan Crubach-- Southern Period Deputy. I would like to welcome THL Darkes MacBey as the new Central Deputy.

For many years I have watched archery in the Outlands and with pride I have seen it grow and change with the many seasons. Our Sharparrows continue to take new Scouts and our Golden Pheons work tirelessly to create an atmosphere in which Outlanders are able to take up bow and arrow. Every time an archer attends a practice, goes to an event or sponsors a tournament, we grow in strength and skill.

The Archer General web site is now linked to the Outlands Marshalate web page. So, if you're in need of an updated form, want to see the latest rankings and the newest edition of the Target Archery handbook, this is the place for you!

And now it's time to put our attention and resources to WAR!!!!! I strongly encourage all archers of the Outlands to take up bow and arrow to shoot the Estrella War Point scenarios on Friday and Saturday. Combat archery activities are very much a part of the war scenarios on Friday and Sunday. The Outlands faces many good archers in the enemy encampment and every arrow shot will be important! Let the battlefields become bloody with the bodies of foes slain by Outlands' arrows…

Evain
Outlands Archer General

ESTRELLA ARCHERY ARTICLE

PRIZES!!!!!

Prepare for War! Archery at Estrella War XX looks to be very fun and challenging. Along with the war point there will be opportunities to win various prizes and bragging rights.

Prize shoots will be held Sunday. If you are interested in organizing and sponsoring a prize shoot stand up and be counted for this year there will be prizes awarded to the gentles running the prize shoots in the following categories:

- Prize shoot with best attendance
- Most imaginative prize shoot
- Most period prize shoot

Each prize shoot will be allotted a one-hour time block. For more information or to sign up for a time slot please contact Lady Muirenn ingen Thigernain at wendyraek@yahoo.com. Time slots will be assigned on a first-come first-choice basis.

OUTLANDS SPONSORED PRIZE SHOOTS - Weather permitting, the Outlands will again sponsor Wednesday and Thursday's prize shoots. We are looking for volunteers to organize, sponsor or provide prizes for these shoots. Please contact Evain to volunteer: honeybeelane@zianet.com.

From the IKAC

Open division

1. AN TIR: 311.3; Andras the Truemark: 355; Loric MacLoughlin: 291; Geoffroi FitzGeorge: 288;
2. MIDREALM: 266.6; Robert Thorne: 278; Thorin of Glendalough: 270; James Cunningham: 252;
3. EAST: 265.3; Rupert the Unbalanced: 286; Owen Huddleston: 267; Nest verch Tangwistel: 243;
4. CALONTIR: 250; Jon Tristam: 276; Einarr Aldhund: 245; William the Wicked: 229;
5. CAID: 244.3; Fearghus MacCulloch: 288; Theodric: 263; Caeser: 182;
6. OUTLANDS: 241.3; Daniel Larke of Fletcher's Glen: 260; Conrad von Zollern: 235; Garrett: 229;
7. MERIDIES: 236; Jerrith the Archer: 289; Gophersbane: 215; Kol Bogsveigir: 204;
8. EALDORMERE: 225.3; Dafydd ap Sion: 308; Augustin of Petrea Thule: 211; Marioun Golightly: 157;
9. ATLANTIA: 221.6; Ignacio Erensaurlezelasgarria: 245; Mika Longbow: 242; Gregge the Archer: 178;
10. WEST: 211; Dauid Ap Morgant: 218; Wolfric Hammerfestning: 210; Dalid Ap Morgant: 205;
11. AETHELMEARC: 199; Connor Bowsplitter: 310; Gwilym o'r Afonydd Tair: 166; Laochlain Sylverwulf: 121;
12. ARTEMISIA: 199; Owen apHowell: 294; Gerriod McEgan: 169; Catherine enish McCarrig: 134;
13. ANSTEORRA: 175; Jacques the Spink: 204; Jason Wallace: 165; Robert of Yorkshire: 156;
14. DRACHENWALD: 161.6; Owen Iskander: 188; Marten Skram: 154; Konrad von Strainveld: 143;
15. LOCHAC: 151; Ysabella Vitale: 158; Ulric of Ambledine: 150; Drew Sangraal: 145;
16. TRIMARIS: 88.3; Yoshitake Maruku: 156; Chabi Merkat: 86; Chrysantha: 23;
17. ATENVELDT: no average; Chris Dixon: 164; Tristan: 43;

Period division

1. OUTLANDS: 236.6; Rand the Tracker: 252; Conrad von Zollern: 238; William Hawke of Warwickshire: 220;
2. WEST: 174; Josi de La Tour: 198; Martin Whisteler: 182; Abner de Plunkett: 142;
3. ANSTEORRA: 148; Robert of Yorkshire: 156; Gilbert Ost Wesley: 148; Edward MacTavish: 140;
4. CALONTIR: 147.3; Einarr Aldhund: 158; Michael vanBergen: 144; James Inn Danski: 140;
5. TRIMARIS: 131; Crevan of Leinster: 174; Erika Bjornsdottir: 170; Tyece De Montbelisard: 49;
6. LOCHAC: 117.3; Sebastian Greenbow: 184; Fitz: 102; Jehan: 66;
7. MIDREALM: 116; James Cunningham: 140; Robert Thorne: 126; John Bartholomew: 82;
8. DRACHENWALD: 104.6; Sean the Archer: 184; Hans Jonsson: 84; Kari Egilsson: 46;

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9. MERIDIES: 49.3; Falcon Blackdragon: 76; Ronan MacMorton: 42; Sior of Cair Ered: 30;
10. ATLANTIA: no average; Gregge the Archer: 146
11. ARTEMISIA: no average; Godwin Fitzgilbert: 110;
12. AN TIR: no average; Maol-Duin: 90;

Period Crossbow division

1. MIDREALM: 332; Robert Thorne: 348; Alan of Caerlaverock: 326; Caedmon Wilson: 322;
2. ATLANTIA: 293.3; Mika Longbow: 316; Siegfried Sebastian Faust: 310; Gregge the Archer: 254;
3. CALONTIR: 197; Michael vanBergen: 211; Robert de Dunalstair: 204; Dolan Madoc: 176;
4. ANSTEORRA: 163.3; Roger Bagley: 264; Edward MacTavish: 150; Ulrich of Carolingia: 76;
5. AN TIR: no average; Alexsei Zarev: 236; Andras the Truemark: 222;
6. WEST: no average; Abner de Plunkett: 164; Josi de La Tour: 126;

Open Crossbow division

1. MIDREALM: 339; Robert Thorne: 351; Caedmon Wilson: 340; Alan of Caerlaverock: 326;
2. ATLANTIA: 303.3; Mika Longbow: 323; Gregge the Archer: 303; Siegfried Sebastian Faust: 284;
3. OUTLANDS: 249.6; Karl the Piper: 259; Daffyd of Emmett: 254; Robert of Lakehurst: 236;
4. ATENVELDT: 234; Bran Padrick: 272; Arminius: 224; Catlin of Anandyrdale: 206;
5. AN TIR: 233.3; Bjorn Kolbjornsson: 256; Loric MacLoughlin: 248; Aleksei Zateev: 196;
6. ANSTEORRA: no average; Ulrich of Carolingia: 242; Roger Bagley: 223;
7. CALONTIR: no average; Michael vanBergen: 231; Dolan Madoc: 216;
8. WEST: no average; Koranada Tomadashi: 193; Josi de La Tour: 176;
9. CAID: no average; Peganus Grimlove: 243;
10. AETHELMEARC: no average; Caleb Reynolds: 193;
11. TRIMARIS: no average; Ricky: 11;

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1. AN TIR: 166.3; Sara De Bonnevile: 206; Tayodric: 175; William Mac An Toisich: 118.
2. MIDREALM: 124; Brun Canutesson: 155; Wilhelm Von Bradenburg: 120; Charles Oakley: 97.

Children Division

1. Rowen Amundsen (AN TIR): 305; Colin Bell (AN TIR): 167; Alicia de Berwic (EAST): 140.

Complete rules, score sheets, target pictures, links to target suppliers and the top scores for each archer are available from the IKAC web site at http://www.detommaso.org/ikac

Shoot well!

- Lorenzo
(ikac@detommaso.org)

From the Minister of Children

Greetings to the Great Kingdom of the Outlands,

Off in the distance I can faintly here the war drums calling us to arms. Soon War will be upon us. Let us begin to prepare for War. For the youth of this Great Kingdom there will boffer tournaments.

For Estrella XX youth combatants are expected to bring and wear their own armor.

This is a change from last year. During the War the Kingdom of the Outlands will be using Adenveldt Armor and Weapons Standards. Please check the Estrella War sight for more information. http://www.estrellawar.org At the completion of Estrella XIX Outlands Boffer Tournament, Scrolls were awarded to the victors in several categories. The scrolls were phonemail. I saw several parents showing the beautiful scrolls to other parents and I felt so proud for the artisans who created the masterpieces for the tournament.

I am looking for volunteers to create scrolls for this years boffer tournament. I will need four scrolls for three age catagories. If any one is interested please get in touch with and I will give you the patericulars for the scrolls. Rhiannon1@zianet.com

I am looking foreword to seeing you at Estrella. May you and Yours have a safe and happy holiday.

Lady Rhiannon
Kingdom Minister of Children

Constitution for the Order of the Argent Rose of the Outlands

I. There shall exist in the Kingdom of the Outlands an award, known as the Order of the Argent Rose of the Outlands, which may be given by the Crown of the Outlands to those gentles under the age of 15 years, who have demonstrated consistent excellence in service to their group or the kingdom.

II. The holders of the Order shall be no more than fifteen years of age.

III. The holders of the Order shall be styled as Companions of the Argent Rose of the Outlands and shall be entitled to place the initials C.A.R.O. after their names.

IV. The insignia of the Order shall consist of a belt favor or medallion pendant from a ribbon bearing the registered badge of the Order: Vert, a rose argent barbed and seeded proper, within a bordure embattled Or.

V. The Order shall convey neither arms nor precedence, and may be conferred only once upon a given individual.

VI. Amendments to this constitution shall be made by the Crown of the Outlands, with consultation with the order's creators.

By our hands this 2nd day of Oct, A.S. XXXVIII, being 2003 in the Common Era.

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Rosalind, Bannrigh

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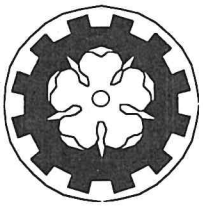
Tatiana, White Stag Principal Herald



From the Rampart Herald

Reminder! The new URL for the Rampart Herald is http://www.wombatinfestation.org/rampart/ .

In other news, the in-kingdom portion of the submissions process has been shortened by one month. To my commentors: thanks for accepting this change to improve overall submission time for Outlanders.

The results of the August 2003 Letter of Acceptance and Return, which contains decisions on the Outlands' Letters of Intent for April 2003, arrived on my desk on November 1st. Congratulations to those whose submissions were accepted!

The following items have been registered with the SCA College of Arms:

Caerthe, Barony of. Badge. Or, a lyre vert and a bordure embattled sable.

Charles Robert Blackstone. Name and device. Sable, a cross raguly between four lions passant guardant Or.

Margaret Hepburn of Ardrossan. Device. Ermine, a fess cotised fleury on the outer edge azure.

Margaret Hepburn of Ardrossan. Badge. (Fieldless) A marguerite proper charged on the seeds with the Roman capital letters M and H conjoined azure.

Seuilla de Córdoba. Name.

Simon Montgumery. Name and device. Per pale gules and argent, a boar rampant within a bordure charged with crosses crosslet counterchanged. (Laurel sez: Good name!)

Tyrfingr von Wolfsberg. Name.

No items were returned.

New this month: a summary of the October Letter of Response, which is the kingdom-level version of the LoAR, and contains the decisions of the Rampart Herald upon the Letter of Presentation of September. The full decisions are available on the Rampart website.

The following items have been passed on to Laurel and the College of Arms for final consideration:

Adam Stedefast. Device Resubmission. Per chevron azure and sable, a phoenix Or rising from flames proper issuant from the line of division and a rose argent.

Brighid Óg inghean Neill. Name Resubmission and New Device. Azure, a chevron inverted argent between three Luther roses Or, centered gules with a cross sable, barbed vert. The Luther rose originates from 1530, when Martin Luther stayed in Coburg and Prince John Frederick had a signet ring made for him engraved with this rose, which Luther called the badge of his theology.

Darius Tigres Jaxarticus. Change of Registered Name and Change of Registered Device. Per pale sable and argent, a pale counter-compony sable and argent fimbriated in sinister chief a bull's head cabossed gules, maintaining from the dexter horn a coronet sable.

Gweneth Sastre. New Name and New Device. Argent, three ladybugs gules marked sable within an orle of ivy vert. Submitted as Gwenyth Sastre (a proposed variant of Gwineth), internal commentary could not support the e/y change for the second vowel in Gwenyth from Gwineth, so it was changed to the closest variation.

Kathryn of Iveragh. Change of Registered Device. Per bend sinister wavy sable and gules, a bend sinister wavy argent charged with a ducal coronet bendwise sable between three passion nails inverted bendwise in bend sinister gules enflamed Or and as an augmentation an inescutcheon of azure, a demi-sun issuant from base Or within a bordure argent.

The particular enflaming of the passion nails is grandparented to her.

Kathws Rusa. Device Resubmission. Azure, a scimitar inverted proper issuant from a trimount vert. "Materials in Support of the Case for the Trimount", which documents this low-contrast trimount (green on blue) was included with this resubmission.

Wolfgang Grothe zu Verron. Name Resubmission and Device Resubmission. Sable, a mullet of eight points between two scarpes Or.

No items were returned.

Serving Crown, Kingdom, and heraldry, I am,

Alia Marie de Blois

Rampart Herald

From the Laurel Representative on the War Council

Greetings to the Artisans of the Outlands. War is less than three months away, and I hope that many of you are working on entries for the Estrella Arts and Sciences Competition. The competition will take place on Saturday, but you need not be present to enter! If you would like to enter, but need help getting your entry there, I can help arrange that for you. There will be a few changes in the next competition: viewing hours for the populace in the morning and afternoon, an improved system for tracking the judging sheets, and protective measures such as rope barriers and display cases for the entries, and gloves for the judges handling the entries in bookbinding and crowns/coronets.

Documentation is required to enter, but it must not exceed 5 pages of text. (illustrations and bibliography will not be counted towards the 5 page limit)

The categories for 2004 are:

* **Middle Eastern Costume** (excluding jewelry and accessories): defined as any single garment, excluding jewelry and accessories, that is constructed using period techniques, materials, patterns and design that is correct to the regions of the Near and Middle East and Central Asia during our time period of study (Pre-17th century)
* **Crowns and Coronets**: defined as a single device to signify rank within the scope of our time period of study (Pre-17th century). Any medium that is appropriate to the period is acceptable.
* **Bookbinding**: defined as a single object that shows the skills of binding a book together during the scope of our time period of study (Pre-17th century). Any medium that is appropriate to the period is acceptable.

The categories for 2005 have also been decided. They are:

Archery Equipment (2005)

Storage Devices (2005) furnishings, not clothing accessories, in any media

European Dance (2005)

More information about the competition is available at estrellawar.org

If you are interested in judging, or have questions about the competition please contact me at Laurel_Anderson@msn.com or (915)845-8472.

In Service,

Mistress Averil duBois d'Avignon

From the Kingdom MOL

As feast season is upon us, we eagerly look into the upcoming year.....AND WAR!!!

In the meantime, make sure your membership cards and authorization cards are up to date. You will not be allowed to fight at events without both of these being current AND shown to the Minister of the Lists. I wish to sing the praises of our local MoLs, and the great job they are doing. They are working hard to make sure your game is safe AND fun; please thank them for their hard work.

Just a reminder, please use the Minister of the Lists web pages to report authorizations, turn in tourney reporting, or print a list of current authorizations. You can find them by entering the officers home page: http://www.outlands.org/officers.html and clicking on the Minister of the Lists link.

In service to the Outlands,

Lady Seuilla DeCordoba

From the War Council

Wondrous tidings of Peace and Joy be the gifts of the season unto the most talented and courteous populace of the Outands.

Winter is hard upon us and yet within our stately manors and gracious homes we are surrounded not by what is cold or hard but the beauty and creations that are the hallmark of the Outlands artisan, warm woolen couthardies with cozy hoods, softly supple leather boots, spiced mulled wine, Digby cakes, beautifully carved wooden chests and graceful tall candles to illuminate the ever present dark of eveningtide. It is here where the Bard softly plays as a scroll is illuminated to be given as a 12th night gift and looms are gently shuttled to the rhythm of the music. The thought of a distant war does not pass within these halls to upset the calm creative womb... But wait... there comes a letter from our favorite cousin. What says he of life outside these protected and quiet halls?

Our playful cousin is a child no more, he is a Knight and Baron of our lands, brave titles won with diligent and chivalric service to Crown and Country, he writes here in his own hand of the preparations of war, of youth to be armored and trained in the martial arts and of those that he gives gracious sanctuary within his own keep in order to make ready and secure his lands against all who would threaten this winters peace. He swears by his sword that no harm shall come upon us and that the armies that threaten our borders shall not pass into our lands while he has breath in his body and life in his limbs. Our good cousin ask for but our art in support of his efforts for he would pay his loyal allies with the true jewels of our lands ~ That which is created by our hands, our joy, our passion, our art. What say you good bard, speaker of legends and you gracious weaver of golden webs to this request of our brave cousin? Shall we give unto those who's blood may spill to protect our peace our creative endeavors? What if our art could change the tide of this war... what difference would be made then to our families life? What difference indeed?

What say you... extraordinary artisan of the Outlands? Are you prepared to give of your art as Largesse for Your Barony or Kingdom? Do you know of the worth of your talents? That you and your art can bring great honor to your Kingdom should you choose to share it with the legendary Kingdoms of Atenveldt, Caid, Artimesia and those visiting allied Kingdoms of this Estrella War? Will you chose to support your cousin and friend or no?

The War Drums beat their rhythms not only for those who wield a weapon but all those who hold the stag within their hearts. The sword, the spear and the arrow are but sharp tools without the grace and beauty of the arts to inspire their strength.

Artisans of the Outlands can you not hear the drums of war? Will you answer?

Elizabeth O'Byrnne
Pelican in service to the Outlands War Council

From the President

Greetings unto the esteemed members of the Society:

At its October 2003 quarterly meeting, the Board of Directors requested comment from the membership on the following two proposed changes to Corpora.

1. PROPOSED CHANGE TO CORPORA V.B.4

A territorial Baron or Baroness may hold any other Society office for which he or she is fitted and qualified, save only that of Baronial Seneschal, but must not allow the duties and responsibilities of such office and the office of Baron or Baroness to conflict.

The following change is proposed:

A territorial Baron or Baroness may hold any other Society office for which he or she is fitted and qualified, save only those of Baronial Seneschal and Baronial Exchequer but must not allow the duties and responsibilities of such office and the office of Baron or Baroness to conflict.

This change would add Baronial Exchequer to the very short list of offices that cannot be filled by a sitting Territorial Baron or Baroness.

2. PROPOSED CHANGE TO CORPORA IV.C.10

Corpora IV.C.10. currently reads as follows:

The Royal Heirs and Royalty must maintain their memberships until their term as Royalty is over. Should anyone serving as a Royal Heir, or as Royalty, be found in violation of the membership requirements, the term ends for the couple involved as of the date of the membership lapse. Provisions of Kingdom Law dealing with the situation are in force. Official acts after the lapse are void. The couple shall not receive any recognition for having temporarily held the status of Royal Heirs or Royalty.

The following change is proposed:

The Royal Heirs and Royalty must maintain their memberships until their term as Royalty is over. Should anyone serving as a Royal Heir, or as Royalty, be found in violation of the membership requirements, that individual's term ends as of the date of the membership lapse. Provisions of Kingdom Law dealing with the situation are in force. The individual shall not receive any recognition for having temporarily held the status of Royal Heir or Royalty.

The purpose of the proposed change is to place the penalties for failing to maintain required membership solely on the member of a Royal couple who committed the error, and eliminate the penalty currently imposed on the other member of the pair.

Your input is important! Please send your comments to: comments@sca.org

or by mail to:

Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc.
P.O. Box 360789
Milpitas, CA 95036-0789

Commentary must be received by April 1, 2004.

Also From the President

Greetings unto all who receive this missive:

The Directors are pleased to announce that the long-anticipated Member Survey is now online and ready for your responses. This survey asks your feedback on a number of topics related to membership, its structure, and the corporation. A separate section of the survey consists of basic demographic questions help give us a better picture of the active participants of the Society.

You can take the survey online at the SCA's website: www.sca.org/survey, but please feel free to print off and distribute the survey so that those without computer access may complete it as well. You may also request a copy of the survey from the SCA's corporate office (PO Box 360789, Milpitas, CA 95036-0789). Hardcopy responses may be mailed to the same address. Please, only one response per person.

Your participation is vital! There are over 28,000 members of the SCA, yet the Board of Directors typically receives responses from only a small percentage membership when commentary is requested. Your input is very important to our organization's future development.

Please take a few moments to complete this survey before December 31, 2003. We are eager to hear what you have to say!

In service,

Meg Baron
President, SCA Inc.

Board Nominee List-current as of 10/22/03

Name	SCA Name	Kingdom	Until
Alan Andrist	Alanus of Bunghea	An Tir	1/06
Keith Bates	Viscount Sir Connor McEldredge	Meridies	7/04
Tobi Beck	Duchess Elina of Beckenham	West	7/04
Anthony Bellettini	Lord Duncan Stewart	East	7/04
Tom Bilodeau	Baron Tirloch of Tallaght, OP	Atlantia	1/06
Jeff Brown	Viscount Sir Donnan the Truehearted	An Tir	1/06
David Carswell	THL Erick of Longacres	Ealdormere	1/06
Lee Cockerham	Sir Kief av Kiersted	Ansteorra	7/05
Susan Earley	Maestra Margherita Alessia	Middle	1/05
David J. fitzGerald	Sir Gerald Thomas fitzGerald an Roghaire	Artemisia	7/05
Cliff Frick	Dux Darius Corvinus Equis	An Tir	1/06
Kathy Harrig	Countess Aislinn de Richemont	Middle	1/04
Frederick Hollander	Duke Frederick of Holland	West	1/05
Thomas Hughes	Sean O'Shaughnessy	Middle	7/04
David James	Kwelland-Njal Kollskeggsson	Atlantia	1/06
Elaine Koogler	Minowara Kiritsubo no Ason	Atlantia	7/04
John Krausch	Duke Sir Tjorkill Kanne	An Tir	7/04
Leslie Luther-Fulton	Countess Jane Falada of Englewood	Meridies	1/06
Burke McCrory	Sir Burke Kyriell MacDonald	Ansteorra	1/04
Michael D. McGuffin	Master Michael of Brecon	An Tir	1/06
Krysta McGuire	Viscountess Krysta MacIntyre	Atenveldt	1/06
Christopher T.C. Miller	Lord Madoc Arundel	East	1/05
Michelle Moll	Viscountess Moria the Black	Ealdormere	7/05
E. F. Morrill	Viscount Edward Zifran von Gendy	East	1/05
Scot Myers	Master Bran Trefonnen	Atlantia	1/04
Eileen Olsen	Mistress Agnese Canigiano	Artemisia	1/04
Beth Patchett	Viscountess Rylyn Buchanan, OP	Ealdormere	1/06
Todd Perkins	HL Daffyd ap Owain ap Cadel Caer yn Arfon	Calontir	7/04
George Reed	Master Aaron Faheud Swiftrunner of the Stone Keep	Middle	1/05
Shawn Reed	Mistress Stephanie of Nethyrwoode	Meridies	1/06
Kevin Schooler	Lord Sylverstone the Traveler	An Tir	1/06
Owen Shribman	THL Rowen Killian	Caid	1/04
Margaret Silvestri	Duchess Megan nic Alister of Thornwood	West	1/06
Kathryn Stanley	Sigrid Arden, AoA	An Tir	1/06
Vincent Stewart	Baron Yusuf Ju'bar al Timbuktuuwi	An Tir	1/06
Kelly Stowe	Mistress Rowena of Avalon	Artemisia	1/04
Caroline Walsh	THL Roslyn McLaren	Meridies	1/04
Blair Wettlaufer	Brand Thorwaldsson	Ealdormere	1/06
Carolyn Zitny	Baroness Cara Michelle DuValier	Caid	1/06

Position Available-Administrative Assistant to the Board of Directors

The SCA Board of Directors is currently accepting applications for the position of Administrative Assistant to the Board. This is a part-time paid position requiring approximately 10-20 hours per week.

The Administrative Assistant handles general correspondence for the Board, including preparing announcements for newsletters and the web page, answering letters and emails asking questions of a general or informational nature, and other correspondence as assigned by the Board. The Administrative Assistant's duties include taking and preparing the minutes of Board meetings, maintaining the various corporate manuals, and supervising a team of volunteers who provide editorial assistance as needed for Society officer manuals. He or she will also be responsible for maintaining a list of branch boundaries, preparing and maintaining Society and Corporate officer warrants, ensuring that changes to the governing documents are communicated to the membership and that changes to the organization's by-laws are filed with the State of California, and helping to orient new Directors and officers. This individual may also be

assigned the management of special projects for the Board of Directors. The Administrative Assistant may be expected to perform other duties as assigned by the Board.

Qualifications for the position include excellent written and oral communication skills, the ability to work independently to deadlines and to prioritize tasks, and strong computer skills. Organizational ability and problem-solving skills are a must. Prior experience at the Corporate level of the SCA, Inc. is a plus, but is not required.

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Resumes (professional and medieval, including offices held and awards received) must be sent to the attention of the Board at the SCA Corporate Office, P.O. Box 360789, Milpitas, CA 95036-0789. Resumes must be received by February 1, 2004. Questions regarding this position may be directed to Linda Moore, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the SCA, Inc. Ms. Moore may be reached by phone at 414-962-4785, or via email at chairman@sca.org.

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The Society Chirurgeon General is the officer responsible to the President for organizing a program of volunteer first aid services and health-and-safety hazard warnings to be made available whenever feasible at Society events, and for establishing policies for and coordinating the activities of the Kingdom Chirurgeons.

Applicants for this unpaid position must be warranted SCA Chirurgeons. Membership in the Society and easy access to telephone, mail, and email are required. Applicants should be able to meet quarterly reporting deadlines in a timely manner. Some travel to large events may be required.

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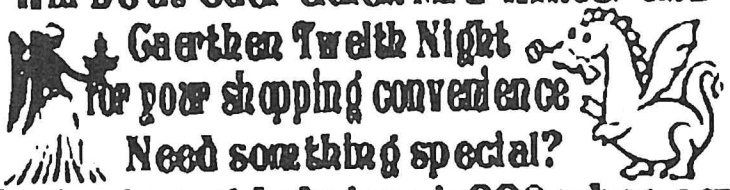

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Rio de las Animas Perdidas ..... Durango, CO
Roswell, NM ..... **Gleann Medonach**
Saint Golias ..... Socorro, NM
Santa FE, NM ..... **Drygestan**
Schola Metallorum ..... Golden, CO
Scorpions Hollow ..... Clovis/Cannon AFB,NM
Scottsbluff, NE ..... **Hinterland**
Socorro, NM ..... **Saint Golias**
Tygre's Keep ..... Colorado College, CO SP, CO
UCCS - Colorado Springs, CO ..... **Venerable Bede**
University Of New Mexico ..... **Blaiddwyn**
Unser Hafen ..... Ft. Collins, CO
Venerable Bede ..... UCCS - Colorado Springs, CO
Westminster, CO ..... **Hawks Hollow**
White Mountain ..... Alamorgordo, NM
Windkeep ..... Cheyenne, WY

Event Announcement Information

Listed below you will find the requirements that have been set forth for Outlands Event Announcements. Please note that those items listed as 'Mandatory' must be present in the appropriate event announcement.

Mandatory in ALL event announcements:
- Name of the Event
- Sponsoring Group
- Event Date(s)
- Mundane name of site and address of site, including ZIP code
- Contact Information for the Autocrat
- Contact Information for Reservations (if not Autocrat, and they are being taken)
- Contact Information for Head Cook (If serving food)
- Contact Information for additional organizers (Crash, fighting, etc.

If reservations are being taken:
- Deadline for acceptance
- All associated costs (site, feast, discounts, etc.)
- How to make checks payable

Mandatory in FINAL event announcement (Month of):
- All above information
- Site Open and Close times
- Alcohol Status (Wet, dry, discreetly wet, etc.)
- Directions to site (include distances, street names, etc.) ***Do NOT assume signs will always be visible!***
- All associated costs (site, feast, discounts, etc.)

Optional, but highly recommended:
- A map to the site
- Schedule of events
- Feast menu (if feast is provided)
- Other pertinent site information (pet restrictions, water availability, etc.)

Contact Information for autocrats as mentioned above is: SCA Name, Mundane Name, address, phone number with area code, and an E-mail address if one is available. Contact Information for other coordinators as mentioned above is: SCA Name, Mundane Name, phone number with area code, and an E-mail address if one is available.

The OH is printed presently with an 8-point font that allows for approximately 300 words in a one-half (1/2) page article, and 600 words in a one (1) page article. All event articles are allowed three (3) showings in the Outlandish Herald, one (1) of which MUST be the month of the event (i.e. A June event MUST run in the June OH). The other two publication months are typically the two months preceding the event. An autocrat may request publication more than two months in advance, but that publication will count against the two (2) publication limit. Additional printings may be purchased at the current advertising rates. **Generally, event announcements must fit on 1/2 page in months prior to the event, and 1 page the month of the event. Announcements exceeding this size may be trimmed to fit.** Look for this to be enforced RIGOROUSLY beginning with the November 2003 issue! Optionally, if you wish to exceed this limit, you can purchase space at current advertising rates. Where possible, please provide the Kingdom Chronicler's office with a prior month article, and a month of article fitting the above criteria for publication.

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